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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
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EXAMINING GROUP 3761**

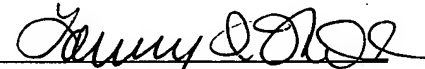
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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FOR ITS PRODUCTION  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of May 7, 2009, entry of the present amendment effecting claim amendments to place the application in condition for allowance or remove issues from appeal, if required, is respectfully requested. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: